

OUR LADY OF PEACE

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*Together, we are a Roman Catholic Parish of
the Archdiocese for the Military Services USA,
united in Faith, centered in the Eucharist,
living the Word and faithfully following our
Lord and Savior Jesus Christ
by loving Him and each other.*

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Parish Council

Louis and Barbara LaPorte, **President** 614-1338
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Prayer Chain

Call Lena Henning with your intention at 291-5378.

Mass Schedule

Tuesday & Friday 11:30 AM - SAC Chapel

Weekend Schedule

Saturday 5:00 PM - Capehart Chapel

Sunday 8:00 AM - SAC Chapel

11:00 AM - Capehart Chapel

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 PM

Second Saturday 3:45 - 4:30 PM

Capehart Blessed Sacrament Room or by special arrangement.

Baptism

In preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism for children, parents are requested to attend a Baptismal seminar, on the 2nd Wednesday of each month. Call the Pastoral Assistant for registration requirements.

Marriage

Couples wishing to marry are asked to contact the priest at least six months prior to the tentative marriage.

Rosary

The rosary is prayed as a community on the first Saturday of the month at 4:30 PM at the Capehart Chapel.



**15th Week in Ordinary
time at
Our Lady of Peace**

Sunday, July 13

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Mass, SAC Chapel

11:00 AM Mass, Capehart Chapel

Monday, July 14 -

Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha

7:00 PM 11 AM Choir practice
Capehart

Tuesday, July 15 - St Bonaventure

11:30 AM Mass SAC Chapel

Wednesday, July 16 -

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

7:00 PM 5 PM Choir practice
Capehart

Thursday, July 17

Friday, July 18 - St. Camillus de Lellis

11:30 AM Mass, SAC Chapel

Saturday, July 19

4:00 PM Penance/Reconciliation
Capehart Chapel

5:00 PM Mass Capehart Chapel

Sunday, July 20

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Mass, SAC Chapel

11:00 AM Mass, Capehart Chapel

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sunday, July 13th

For our Parish

Music Directors

Deborah Wilkinson 614-5908, 5:00 PM
Maria Rey-Hughes 292-1453, 8:00 AM
Jennifer Gillis 292-3675, 11:00 AM

FR LEURCK'S FAREWELL



Fr. Leurck will soon be departing Offutt. On July 27th following the 11:00AM Mass we will be having a farewell potluck picnic for Fr. Leurck at the Capehart Chapel. We will be outside, weather permitting so bring your lawn chairs or a blanket. If your last name begins with "A-N" bring a main dish, "O-Z" bring a side dish. The parish will provide dessert and drinks. If you would to help please call Peggy Hoffman at 294-6974.

SATURDAY PROGRAM AT ST. BENEDICT CENTER

On July 19, 2003, a entitled, How to Serve Christ and the Church Best in this Time of Trial, presented by Fr. Benedict Groeschel, C.F.R., Ed.D., will take place at St. Benedict Center, 4 mi. N. of Schuyler, NE, on Hwy. 15. Registration begins at 8:30 am. Program - 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Fee: \$ 25. Lunch is available at the Center for \$ 7.91 (includes tax), or you may bring your own sack lunch. Please register early by calling Saint Benedict Center (402) 352-8819.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH IS SEEKING VOLENTEERS

At the 11 AM Mass The Liturgy of the Word is celebrated with the children. This gives our children the gift of participating more fully and understanding more completely the Liturgical Language of our Faith. This is not a Religious Education Class, it is the Celebration of the Liturgy of the Word with Children. Parents/Adults are welcome to attend to see if they would like to become a volunteer. We would like to invite anyone interested in volunteering to contact Barbara LaPorte at 614-1338.

CH. COL LEURCK'S RETIREMENT

On Wednesday, July 30th at 11:00 AM at the SAC Memorial Chapel Col. Leurck will retire from the Air Force after 23 years. All parishioners from Our Lady of Peace are invited to attend. A reception will follow at the Offutt Club Ballroom, if you plan to attend the reception please RSVP by July 25th to 294-6244 and tell them you are from Our Lady of Peace.

Youth Ministry—Everyone Can Contribute

YOUTH VILLAGE

If you have internet access check out the Omaha Archdiocese youth web page. You'll find links to cool and interesting sites including other area youth groups, "Ask-A-Priest", photos of recent youth happenings in the diocese, music, and faith resources. Take a minute and browse the village at <http://www.archomaha.com/Youth/YouthVillage.html>

INTEREST SURVEYS

Thanks to all parents and teens that have taken time to respond to the interest surveys. If you haven't already done so, please take a moment now to give your feedback on youth ministry.

POINTS OF CONTACT

for youth ministry information are:
Lorie Lamb – Jr. High (932-7063)
Paula Zwenger (291-5607 or olp_yg@cox.net)

REFLECTIONS ON THE READINGS -

Amos 7:12-15; Psalm 85; Ephesians 1:3-14; Mark 6:7-13

Most people love competition. We relish sports contests, beauty pageants, cards, and board games. The winners gain our admiration. Rarely would we imagine that the winners owe any debt to us; their selection means personal advancement and not much more. Today's Scriptures see selection in a different light, in the context of community. The victors are not those who achieve for self but those who will achieve for others. Selection means service.

Amos was chosen around the year 760 B.C. He was a shepherd and a dresser (caretaker) of sycamores. God sent this man from simple roots to deliver a most unwelcome message to the prosperous northern kingdom of Israel: "Fallen, no more to rise, is maiden Israel" (Amos 5:2). God selected Amos to speak for the poor who were being mistreated by the wealthy minority. The author of Ephesians begins with a hymn praising God's plan of salvation. God chose certain people for the purpose of genuine Christian living. Their selection meant they were to offer praise, "to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved" (Ephesians 1:6). Election also grants liberation that empowers the faithful to provide hope for a divided world and bring creation out of chaos.

Mark sees the teaching and work of the apostles as an extension of Jesus' teaching and work. The missionary charge of the Twelve focuses on the needs of the community. Disparaging provisions for emergencies and rejecting the best accommodations, the missionary resolutely pursues the proclamation of a complete and radical change. Sometimes people reject missionaries. In those cases, missionaries must shake the dust from their feet and move on.

While baptism makes us members of God's elite, it also commissions us to think and act in terms of service to the community. By its very nature, selection means service.

-- John Craghan, Th.D., S.S.L.

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CURSILLO ULTREYA On Saturday, July 20th after the 5:00PM Mass, the Cursillo group will meet for a pot-luck and prayer meeting in the Capehart lower annex.

BAPTISM CLASS INSTRUCTOR NEEDED One of the couples who instructs our Baptism Class will be PCSing this fall. This one session class is currently scheduled for the second Wednesday evening of each month. If you are interested in this ministry please call Peggy at 294-6974.

Liturgy Schedule

July 19/20

5:00 PM Capehart Chapel

Lector: V. Edwards M. Fowler

EME: T. Kollmansberger

S. Kollmansberger D. Taylor

Server: A. Reed C. Reed

B. Stephens

Greeter:

Usher: R. Jaranillo L. Nunez

8:00 AM SAC Chapel

Lector: J. Shulte L. Lamb

EME: W. McDonnell S. Marchitelli

M. Ziezer

Server: M. Marchitelli A. Nonnweiler

N. Nonnweiler

Greeter:

Usher: J. Nonnweiler K. Zeiger

11:00 AM Capehart Chapel

Lector: T. Buschelman I. Ingalls

EME: B. Cairns B. O'Brien

M. Mendez J. O'Brien

C. Chavarria

Server: D. Dalton A. Lehner

A. Thomas

Greeter: R. Saladrigas

Usher: A. Albert L. LaPorte

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING

Mass	Attendance	Offering
1700	137	332.00
0800	125	625.92
1100	245	578.35
Total	507	\$1,536.27

Offering Per Capita \$3.03

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF
13 JULY 2003**

Sunday:	Am 7:12-15; Eph 1:3-14; Mk 6:7-13
Monday:	Ex 1:8-14, 22; Mt 10:34-11:1
Tuesday:	Ex 2:1-15a; Mt 11:20-24
Wednesday:	Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Mt 11:25-27
Thursday:	Ex 3:13-20; Mt 11:28-30
Friday:	Ex 11:10-12:14; Mt 12:1-8
Saturday:	Ex 12:37-42; Mt 12:14-21
Next Sunday:	Jer 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34